

At 10:45 a.m. 5/6/97 there was a phone call from a ~~man~~^{man} whose voice I did not recognize in ~~which~~^{which} he told me that a big lawsuit was being prepared against me for saying that ~~Ma~~^{Ma}adeleine Brown is not telling the truth. I think he said I was ~~wire~~^{wire} writing a book about her, as I am not and had no intention of doing. She and her junk are not worth that much time and effort. This threat, mysterious as it is in origin, will not discourage me from the little writing I intended about it.

I asked the man "who is this" several times and the last time he just hung up.

I have expressed ^{only} the slightest interest in her and that to very few people.

Andy at The Last Hurrah Bookstore knows of my interest only because I got her book from him. Ed Tatr^o told me about it.

I wrote Gary Mack and Dave Perry asking for her record of not being truthful and Gary and I discussed this briefly by phone last week.

How anyone could have known of the slight interest I have in her I do not know other than as indicated above.

After writing this I recalled that Harry Livingstone[†] drew on her heavily in his disgraceful book Killing the Truth. So, I checked my Caller ID and lo, the call ~~was~~^{was} from 410/243-4272. So, I checked my rotodex and what is Livingstone's phone number? The dope did not even use a phone other than his own! That is his phone!

But there is a ^{very} question, with so few people knowing that I have even this slight interest in her than I have, how did Livingstone learn?

He published his book,